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Docket No. 55940US002

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**RECEIVED
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Applicant(s): RASMUSSEN et al.)
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Serial No.: 09/827,107)
Confirmation No.: 5006)
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Filed: 5 April 2001)
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For: SOLID PHASE SYNTHESIS SUPPORTS AND METHODS

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed 28 January 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on the page entitled "Amendments to the Claims."

Remarks begin on the page entitled "Remarks."